

## JUST GLEANINGS

FLANNELLETTE SHIRTS \$6.00

Here's an example of inflation: A Canadian missionary writing from China mentions that at a public sale, used flannellette shirts sold at \$6.00 each. The postage stamp on the letter from the missionary cost \$10.75. He also said that shoes for his daughters cost \$22 a pair.

### BABY HAS PRIORITY ON MILK

Babies two years old and under may have their own ration card of G coupons for evaporated milk, if their feeding formula requires evaporated milk. Priority for babies and other essential users of evaporated milk is given by Wartime Prices and Trade Board Order, G. Coupons may be obtained by executors under Local Ration Boards.

### CRANBERRY SAUCE RATIONED

Cranberry sauce sold in cans or other containers is included on the list of rationed foods, and preservers, says ration superintendent C.G. McKee of Edmonton, in answer to inquiry. So D coupons are needed to purchase cranberry sauce.

### RIDES TAIL OF AIRPLANE

PHOENIX, Ariz. — A quick-thinking instructor and Frank Giambrino's iron nerve saved the San Francisco flying cadet from a death plunge after he had plummeted 5,000 feet of a primary army training plane at 500 feet altitude, Giambrino landed astraddle the fuselage against the tail section's stabilizer. He held his place by grasping guy wires.

The instructor motioned for Giambrino to remain where he was and started the plane into a gradual climb. At 3,500 feet the instructor retarded the engine, sent the plane into a gradual slide and motioned to Giambrino to attempt to reach the cockpit. He made it safely.

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## INVEST TO THE LIMIT OF YOUR RESOURCES

Good news is usually a tonic and in the present instance word of Allied advances has brought not complacency but a nation-wide determination to work harder than ever for Victory. Perhaps this is the reason for the encouraging fact that Canadians as a whole do not regard the Fifth Victory Loan as "just another Victory Loan" but rather welcome it as an opportunity to place the Allies still further along the road to victory and the Axis correspondingly nearer to defeat.

Although the need and wisdom of Victory Loan investments are definitely established, there are still those who do not invest to the limit of their ability. It is hard to understand how persons living in the comparative luxury of civilian security can hold back when those fighting for them are willingly giving everything they've got. "I'm not sufficient to be able to say, 'Yes, I bought a bond!'" Everyone should review his finances right down to the last penny and increase his cash and installment purchases of bonds accordingly.

There is an Arabian proverb which has more than one meaning in these days of rationing on the home front and hand-to-hand fighting on the war front. It is one worth remembering when the Victory Loan salesman calls on you: "I had no shoes and complained—Until I met a man who had no feet."

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CHEER UP! POP'S GONNA GET A HAY-LOADER WHEN THE WARK'S OVER AND HE CASHES IN ON HIS VICTORY BONDS



## THE WORLD OF WHEAT REVIEWED WEEKLY BY MAJOR H.G.L. STRANGE

### WRONG VARIETIES OF WHEAT

The "Crop Testing Plan" is now analyzing the results of this last summer's growing tests of thousands of wheat samples, each sample representing a farmer's growing field of wheat. Owing to the shortage of labor, tests this year were made only of samples from those areas which in the past have shown a high percentage of bad mixtures.

The first thing that strikes one looking over the tests is to note the large numbers of farmers who actually were growing a variety of wheat which was entirely different from the variety they thought they were producing. Many farmers, for instance, who thought they were growing Red Bobs—an early variety—were actually found to be producing Marquis—which is a much later variety. Because of this lateness many of such crops doubt this year were caught by frost.

The tests show, too, that many farmers who thought they were growing a rust-resistant wheat, either Red, Marquis or Canada. Here, of course, the farmer would lose much money in a rust year. It does seem important, therefore, if farmers wish to make the full amount of money that their hard work deserves, that they should be absolutely certain that the seed they sow really is of the variety they wish to grow.

### BOND BUYERS ARE BUILDERS

Regular readers of the Press of Canada will have noted by now that the National War Finance Committee is planning a new campaign of interest in the Fifth Victory Loan campaign. This is being done of course without discounting the great public war bond subscription of the past year.

Homeside investment reveals that most of the bonds sold since the start of the war have been bought by men for reasons dictated by self-interest. There have been many who were not particularly anxious to secure 3½ interest, but it seems fair to say that these bought in the knowledge that they were protecting themselves from the domination of predatory nations on the loose in Europe and the far east. But at this point in the war when victory seems to be so much nearer and peace time conditions are much nearer, more and more of us in Canada are realizing the tightly bound relationship between our savings in war years and our well-being in the months and years which follow the day of peace.

Of course, from the very beginning of Canada's program of public borrowing, the Minister of Finance and his colleagues who have been directing the sale of government securities have pointed to war savings as one of the salvations of post-war prosperity. War manufacturers and producers of consumer goods will not be able to build up staffs of employees and pay big payrolls unless the great mass of consumers shall have ready cash to buy what they need and want.

Happily a very large proportion of Canadian people have a backlog of these savings, enough to create a tremendous market for post-war goods of all descriptions. But we should not overlook the obvious truth, that the greater the average war savings in Canada the greater will be the post-war market with all its attendant increase in jobs and wages.

Why Canadians will put every available dollar into Fifth Victory Loan Bonds, not only for their own immediate post-war benefit, but as a good, country-wide co-operative move to ensure a long term period of maximum employment and maximum prosperity.

Speed The Victory—Buy all the Fifth Victory Loan Bonds you can!

## REFUND ON CAR LICENSES IF TURNED IN BY JAN. 10

Unal refunds will be paid by the province on motor car plates that are turned in by January 10 next, according to information which officials of the Alberta Motor Association have received from provincial officials.

The refund is 20 per cent of the annual license fee and each year it takes advantage of by motorist's who decide to lay up their cars for the winter. This year it is anticipated that some earlier applications may be due to car owners having exhausted their gasoline ration coupons. In some years the refunds have amounted to more than \$45,000.

On the other hand, it is anticipated that there will be more new licenses issued for the current period, as a 40 per cent reduction in the annual license fee became effective on Oct. 1, On Jan. 1, the reduction will be 75 per cent.

### LONG SCHOOL HOLIDAY

Forms surveying the results of the extended holiday for Alberta schools are now out to various centres of the Province, it was announced by Dr. G. F. McNally, Deputy Minister of Education. We want to determine as accurately as possible whether or not any benefit was secured from pupils who would otherwise have been going to school, he stated.

Applying to boys and girls between the ages of 13 and 16, it asks how many were engaged in farm work and in gainful employment other than farming during period Sept. 1 to October 10. From the forms returned to the Department of Education it will be decided whether to set the holiday next year during August and September or, if it is not worthwhile, to go back to the usual months of July and August.

### INDEPENDENTS PLAN TO HOLD CONVENTION IN JANUARY

An Independent Citizens' Association of Alberta convention will be held in Calgary January 12 and 13, it was announced in a statement last week by D. J. Pope, president of the Association. The association will select a provincial leader at the convention and will adopt a party platform, Mr. Pope said.

One of the great air battles of the Battle of Britain was fought at a speed of more than six miles a minute. Sometimes a fight which began over London went on all the way back to the French coast.

## LONG YEARS AGO

November 3, 1932

Miss Nora Atkinson has accepted a position in the Farmers' Exchange.

Mrs. Kate Ramsay has resigned as teacher of Room 1 of Carbon School, and Miss Ella Halstead of Mosher has been employed to fill the vacancy. Mr. Cyril Poth will be the new teacher at Mosher school.

Mrs. Bob Trumbly and John Greig were married on October 26th.

November, 1920

Pete Turcotte is back from Cluny and reports a foot of snow there.

D. I. Pope is holding a big auction sale at his farm Friday.

November, 1921

Mrs. H. Brule has accepted a position as teacher of the new classes in the old pool room building next to the hotel.

The curling rink is progressing well and will be finished in a few days. D.F. McKinnon has opened up an undertaking parlour in Carbon.

## CARBON AND DISTRICT NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Jack Hay left Thursday and spent a couple of days in Calgary.

The Presbyterial Baptist church held their annual supper and bazaar in the church last Wednesday evening and there was a large turn-out despite the unfavorable road conditions.

A report in our last issue stated that Merle Anderson had purchased some purebred cattle. These were Holsteins.

Harry Woods, Sr. E.R.A., R.C.N.V. ship wrought in Carbon from the East last Wednesday night and will spend a 28-day leave with his family. Harry is looking well and has gained about 20 pounds since he left Carbon.

The "mercury" on the large thermometer on the post office, indicating the progress of the local bond sale, has been rising steadily, but we still need a sizable sum to complete the quota of \$50,000 for the Carbon Unit. We raised all previous quotas, and we can do it again—Each one must support this loan to the utmost of his or her financial resources.

### BIG U.S. ACREAGE PLANNED

A record total of 300 million acres in crops for the 1944 harvest is planned by the United States food administrator. This compares with 250 million acres planned in 1942 and 304 million in 1943. In the face of the increased acreage called for it is planned that no large tracts of semi-arid land will be plowed up. This is to avoid the creation of a new dust bowl.

In this war as in the last, Army Chaplains have suffered a high percentage of casualties. In the British Army, there are 2,000 uniformed chaplains. Of 10 in the middle of September, 18 of them had been killed in action, forty-one wounded, and 122 taken prisoner. Six have been reported missing.

## RADIO BATTERIES

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## Hitler is next

"Who's next?" asked Les, the popular barber of Essex Centre. "Next?" exclaimed Mr. Picobac, looking up from his paper. "Hitler is next. We put Mussolini out of business. Now we go for Hitler. That's what this Fifth Victory Loan is for. Come on, Canada. Let's put it over the top — and to spare!"

**Speed the Victory  
BUY VICTORY BONDS**

**Picobac**  
GROWN IN SUNNY SOUTHERN ONTARIO

## The Future of Agriculture

ANY PLANS FOR POST-WAR reconstruction and rehabilitation, both as applied to Canada and to the world at large, are of vital interest to those who live in the Western Provinces. The prosperity of the farmer of Western Canada always depends on general economic conditions in Canada, as well as on the demand in the world markets for grain and other agricultural products. At the present time the farmers are playing a most important part in the winning of the war. Agricultural products from the Prairies are helping to feed Canada's armed forces and her civilian population. In addition, great quantities of Canadian foodstuffs are being shipped to Britain and to the United Nations who require it. There is also in storage great supplies of Western Canadian wheat which will be available for the starving people of the Occupied Countries when they are liberated. The vital need for farm products in wartime leaves no doubt as to the place of agriculture in Canada at present, but those concerned with this industry have much interest in what may be in store for it in the post-war years.

### Chief Resource Is Agriculture

Dr. L. E. Kirk, dean of the College of Agriculture of the University of Saskatchewan, in a recent address on "Reconstruction and Rehabilitation," pointed out some interesting facts concerning these problems, as related to Western Canada. "The West," Dr. Kirk said, "is deeply concerned, not only with the outcome of the war, but with the international relations which will obtain after peace is established. Indeed, the future of this country rests mainly on a secure peace, the restoration of international trade and a generous policy of international co-operation after the war." While there is now some industrial development in the West and there are possibilities for further utilization of water-power, minerals and other natural resources, Dr. Kirk pointed out that in all three Prairie Provinces the agricultural resources greatly exceed all the other resources combined. There appears to be no doubt but that this should be a great food-producing area, but Dr. Kirk raised the question of markets and stated that without a great improvement in the standard of living in our own and other countries, great co-operation between nations, and guarantee for future peace, there is little hope for any great improvement in farming conditions here after the war.

### Many Problems Are Expected

It is apparent that agriculture will share fully with other groups in having many difficult problems with which to deal after the war, and it is felt that in this, as in all other problems, some preparations should be made to meet the difficulties which will arise. The Canadian Federation of Agriculture has recently made a number of recommendations to the agricultural sub-committee of the parliamentary committee on post-war reconstruction. These recommendations include, among other things, a "long-term national planning through a comprehensive marketing and production program for agriculture." It was further stated that "unless we are much better prepared to meet the dislocations of the post-war years than we are at the present time, a disastrous collapse in our agriculture is possible." The farmers of Western Canada withstood the trying conditions of drought and depression during the "thirties," and they are now carrying on steadily in spite of labour shortages and wartime restrictions, which present many difficulties. It is to be sincerely hoped that post-war conditions both here and abroad will be such as to provide sound prosperity for this great food-producing area of our Dominion.

### Eye Disease

Research Into The Cause Of Blindness And Other Problems

Oxford University, London, is to create a Department of Ophthalmology whose activities will include research into the causes of blindness and into the problems of eye disease, teaching, and the treatment of patients. Lord Nuffield has already presented £25,000 (\$311,000) for the promotion of research in this field. The newly formed University Ophthalmological Research Endowment Committee is aiming at raising a further £250,000 (\$311,000) to build, equip and endow research laboratories at Oxford.

## ALL-BRAN TAUGHT ME SOMETHING ABOUT CONSTIPATION

When you're busy as most of us are, working to help win the war, it's doubly important to know what ALL-BRAN can do to relieve the cause of constipation due to the lack of the right amount of "bulk" in the diet. It's a "better way" than forcing yourself to take purgatives that offer only temporary relief.

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The first assault on North Africa required 110 tons of maps.

## WINGS PARADE

### R.C.A.F. - B.C.A.T.P.

#### LIST OF GRADUATES

The following students graduated at the 1943 Canadian Commonwealth Air Training Plan from:

No. 7 Air Observer School, Portage la Prairie, Man. (Air Navigators):  
Sgt. M. D. Green, Portage, Man.  
Sgt. W. H. Roney, Portage, Man.  
Sgt. R. E. Warrington, Portage, Man.  
Sgt. J. W. Hickson, Portage, Man.

No. 7 Air Observer School, Portage la Prairie, Man. (Air Bombers):

Sgt. G. T. Blackburn, Portage, Man.  
Sgt. J. P. Corbin, Portage, Man.  
Sgt. E. G. Green, Portage, Man.  
Sgt. L. O. Kiron, Portage, Man.  
Sgt. C. C. Macdonald, Portage, Man.  
Sgt. R. E. Warrington, Portage, Man.  
Sgt. J. W. Hickson, Portage, Man.

No. 13 Service Flying Training School, Portage la Prairie, Man. (Pilots):

Sgt. R. N. Swift, Portage, Man.  
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## Our Boys And Girls On Active Service

(By Ottawa Observer)

A COMBINED SERVICES campaign (Army, Navy and Air Force) is at present being carried on throughout Canada to hasten the enlistment of another 65,000 more service women to release men for combat duty. The war is just getting into stride as far as the Canadian armed services are concerned.

One of the best known fellows in the Canadian Navy, Nicholas John Pentic, of Regina and Victoria, who has done so much to build up morale of the navy lads, has been promoted to Warrant Master-At-Arms. He was educated in Regina, a graduate of St. Mary's Separate School.

Flying Officer Blaise Grant, who hails from Watrous, Sask., got in the news lately by "seeing" Paris, looking around an airfield in the dark there—until he was able to shoot down a Dornier 217, chasing the flaming ship downwards. He has a dad who is also in air force here. Sgt. W. Grant, a signal expert in Ottawa, is being sent to the front. He was not expected to see the Eiffel Tower under such circumstances. As a train huster he has 12 engines to his credit.

A group of Wren dietetic advisors have been appointed to the Canadian Naval commands, and boy, won't the white pants boys get more delicious food. Leading the dietetic corps is Paymaster L. L. Commander Doris of Winnipeg. She is a graduate in Household and Social Science in the dietetic. She joined the Wrens in 1941.

Military District No. 12, H.Q. at Regina has organized all out to put forward prospective officers. The personnel of that district. They're aiming high, to beat the record of last year. The district is including C.W.A.C.s bought nearly half a million in bonds.

Officers trained by the Royal Canadian Navy's new "lower deck" system of advancement are now being graduated weekly in groups numbering up to 25. Under this system every prospective officer must pass the lower deck as an ordinary seaman before emerging as a sub-lieutenant.

Among the men serving on the C.A.F. flying boat units from a Canadian east coast station, are many prairie lads, some of whom now have well earned decorations. A Distinguished Flying Medal recently went to Corporal Harold Kohn, second engineer, of Bladworth, Sask. He has spent a year and a half on anti-submarine patrol work.

R.C.A.F. fighter pilots still stand by within a few dozen miles of Kingston, Ont., and are ready to take a few more. But it wasn't always like that. If you can remember, it was a few months before the Japs turned tail and fled. Weather or no weather, the Canucks gave the thing some go. No mercy whenever the fog lifted. On the 17th of November, 1941, they were downed. The Japs were downed. It was a great day for the Canucks. It was a great day for the Canucks. It was a great day for the Canucks.

MEET HIS MATCH

A barrister became somewhat acrimonious in his cross-examination, but the little woman in the witness box remained calm.

Eventually counsel said: "You say you had no education, but you answered my questions smartly enough."

The witness replied: "You don't have to be a scholar to answer silly questions."

"Bolsano, the Italian gateway to the Brenner Pass, was Austrian until the close of the first world war, and most of its 35,000 residents still speak German."

NIGHT COUGHS

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## Health LEAGUE CANADA VITAL INTEREST

### FIGHTING TUBERCULOSIS

Since 1929, tuberculosis has caused 24,000 deaths in Canada and 75,000 persons developed the disease. Dr. G. J. Wherrett, executive secretary of the Canadian Tuberculosis Association, reported at the association's annual meeting in Toronto. Even if the present war lasted considerably longer, it was doubtful if the Canadian casualties would equal those caused by tuberculosis in the period mentioned. Dr. Wherrett declared.

Calling for an intensified campaign against tuberculosis, Doctor Wherrett said Canada has short 4,000 sanatorium beds for white patients and 1,200 beds for Indians. He said fluorographic surveys of the population would become general in all provinces and soon the equipment and personnel were available. Doctor Wherrett suggested a five-year program against tuberculosis, and intensive educational work on a national scale.

Mortality rates for 1942, reported at the meeting, showed that Saskatchewan resumed first place with a combined white and Indian rate of 28.1 per 100,000 of population, with Ontario a close second, with a rate of 28.9. In the preceding year Ontario ranked Saskatchewan out of a combined white and Indian rate of 28.1 per 100,000 of population, with Ontario a close second, with a rate of 28.9. In the preceding year Ontario ranked Saskatchewan out of a combined white and Indian rate of 28.1 per 100,000 of population, with Ontario a close second, with a rate of 28.9.

The Saskatchewan Anti-Tuberculosis League this summer conducted a survey of the population of 43,000, in which 30,000 persons were photographed. Investigators discovered 28 open cases of tuberculosis, of which two were active spreaders. Ten thousand persons failed to take advantage of the free survey.

### SMILE AWHILE

Mr. Softy took a snapshot of his wife, with my two French poodles. "I recognize me!" Miss Case: "You think so. You are the one with the hat on, are you not?"

Elbel-Pleasant: "Can you tell me the time?" Willie: "I don't know exactly, but I know it isn't four o'clock yet." "Are you sure?" "Quite. Cause I have to be home by four, and I'm not home yet."

Assistant: "For value there is nothing on the market to compare with this at the price."

Customer: "And how much is it?" Assistant: "One moment, madam. I'll ask the manager."

He sat moaning over his cup of coffee and making sheep's eyes at the pretty waitress until she was fed up.

"Is there anything else you would like, sir?" she asked distantly, as a hint that he could move on.

"Just a soft word," he replied. "Putty?" replied the waitress as she whisked the cup off the table and tripped away.

Young Husband: "I suppose you'll threaten to go home to mother."

"I will—I'll do nothing so foolish, I'll threaten to go home to mother."

"I'll have to invite her here."

"I hear your husband is a golf enthusiast, Bridget."

"Shure, he is m'am."

"Has he done any good work on the links lately?"

"Shure, he has. Why he cut the grass yesterday."

Jack: "That lawyer chap you told me of is not a man of his word."

Wife: "Why, what's happened?"

Jack: "Well, he told me that I could talk freely to him, and this morning he sent me to his account."

Vicar's Wife: "Oh, Thomas, in trouble again? Why don't you renounce the devil?"

Thomas: "My dear aunt, I don't want to fall out with him. I may have to spend a lot of time with him one day."

Wife was rigorous, powdering her face before going out.

Hubby: "Why do you go to all that trouble?"

Wife: "Modesty, my dear."

Hubby: "Modesty?"

Wife: "Yes, I've no desire to shine in public."

## "MY HAT'S OFF TO YOUR BREAD"



## "MY HAT'S OFF TO ROYAL YEAST!"

Brings you compliments on sweet, tasty bread

ALWAYS DEPENDABLE WRAPPED AIRTIGHT TO ENSURE POTENCY

## ONE DIFFERENCE

It's only natural, if not very original, to compare the adventure of the Tiptops with the adventure of David against Goliath. But even there the Tiptops suffer by the comparison—at least the Palestine champions come forth to do battle. The Naal dreadnaught didn't.

### BUILDS FARM COTTAGES

The British Ministry of Health is building 3,000 farm cottages, two of which are now ready for occupancy. The \$350 per week rent which workers will pay for these cottages includes water and light.

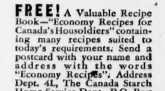
No word in the Chinese language has more than one syllable.



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(By Sgt. A. Christopher, Canadian Army Public Relations)

**SHILO, Man.**—On the outskirts of this big military area are the sandy acres comprising the Dominion's first Parachute school, "restricted area" signs warning that its secrets are not for the eyes of the curious. Beyond the signs are mechanical contraptions that at first glance resemble "thrill" rides of a super midway, outstanding among them being a 250-foot steel-ribbed jump tower that dwarfs all else for miles around.

Lieut.-Col. R. F. Routh of Montreal, officer commanding the school, summed up the training as follows:

"In a short time we have a trained jumper—that is a man who knows

Packing and function of parachute for Lieut. A. A. J. Liddiard, Ottawa; harness is Cpl. W. Ward, Toronto.

—R.C.A.F. 19

The R.C.A.F.'s new operational wing (top) which will have members of aircrew who complete a tour of operations has been augmented by the addition of a bar for each additional tour. One bar to the left indicates that the wearer has completed two tours of operations (right), three tours, and three bars (lower center) show that four tours of operational flying have been completed. Hundreds of R.C.A.F. men will soon receive their wing, money with a bar. The number of tours of operations has been laid down and aircrew who qualify for awards both in Canada and overseas will be entitled to a new wing. A card presented with the gold wing reads, "in recognition of distinguished services in that he has completed a tour of operational duty against the enemy."

The cause of this great ice invasion is still controversial but the fact is indisputable. The glaciers spread and retreated at least four times during the Pleistocene period of the last million years. There were no ice sheets between some of these invasions when the climate was warmer than at the present time. Water-borne shells and fragments of warm-climate trees found as fossils testify to these moderate interglacial periods. Such mementoes may be seen in the Royal Ontario Museum in Toronto.

Safflower was introduced to Western Canada within the past ten years in the hope that it might find a place in the drier areas. Since 1936, several lines have been collected by the Cereal Division, Dominion Experiment Farms Service, and tested in several parts of Canada, with a yield of 20 to 25 per cent. in oil content. Much valuable data were also obtained in 1941-42, and as a result more recent introductions by the Cereal Division have produced a higher oil content. These are now under test.

The shrill squeak of a bat is so high-pitched that it cannot be heard by many human beings.

(By Robert Mackay)

**B**UFFETED by Atlantic gales, bombed, torpedoed, and set on fire, a British merchant ship, separated from her convoy, still got through to North Africa, her destination. She arrived there with thousands of tons of essential military stores. The master scarcely left the bridge during the whole voyage. But on one occasion, after successfully beating off a U-boat attack, he decided he could have a bath. Just as he began to enjoy

The British held the breach in the dark days, and now more merchant ships are at sea in escort convoys and carrying essential cargoes than at any previous period since the outbreak of war. The convoys arrive and depart with almost the regularity of railway schedules. They are splendidly guarded by air and sea escorts. But it must never be forgotten that early in the war the inadequate number of escort ships was a very serious matter, and the protection screen was all too thin. All this was well known to the

## Cuddly Poodle



by Alice Brooks **7611**

### A GOOD EXAMPLE

Sir William Mulock, veteran former Chief Justice of Ontario, has made an outstanding success of planting trees. Many years ago he started to plant black walnut trees on his farm near Toronto, and he has now a stand of 45,000, some of them well on their way to maturity, when they will be worth a fortune. It is just a little instance of what can be done by reforestation in the denuded sections of the country.

A small blood capillary is one-fiftieth the thickness of a human hair.



WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

Seventy Friesian cattle, presented to the Red Cross Agricultural Fund, realized \$84,000 at a Reading sale.

An Edmonton (London) rest centre has received a quilt bearing the names of 450 residents of its name-sake city in Canada.

The Union of South Africa is shipping coal to South America in accordance with a pooling scheme evolved by the United Nations.

Ten thousand acres of onions, some 70,000 to 100,000 tons, have been harvested in Britain for storage and use during the winter.

Army jeeps are being tested at the University of Saskatchewan to see how they can be used in farming after their present job is cleaned up.

A Stockholm physician, who was described as recently having attended Benito Mussolini, was reported to have said Mussolini has only six months to live.

Thirty Canadian service men including a full-blooded Indian, have attended a week's leave course at Leeds University. They visited a large colliery and explored its depths.

The Allies will be called upon to feed at least 100,000,000 persons in liberated Europe between now and the end of 1944, Francis B. Sayre, special assistant Secretary of State said in Chicago.

The 9,830-ton cruiser Shropshire, presented by Britain to Australia in 1942 to replace the 10,000-ton Canberra, lost in a naval battle in the Solomon, now is serving as a unit of the Royal Australian Navy.

The first army clothing factory in the Middle East, near a large city in Egypt, which started in 1941 with 10 machines and 30 employees, now has 276 power machines and 1,300 workers, who produced 100,000 garments a month.

## Smart Jumper



By ANNE ADAMS

It's a big season for jumpers! Anne Adams Pattern 4496 is an unusually smart jumper style—smoothly pointed, with a trim, piped in waist, easy for the young figure to wear.

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ONE CONSOLATION  
The veil which used to be so popular for making children said to be no rational, but children's imagination keepers may comfort themselves that there is still plenty of squash left for making pumpkin pie—Peterborough Examiner.

Ethiopian women plaster their hair with rancid butter in the belief that it beautifies them.

Seldom, if ever, does the annual snowfall in Quebec amount to less than 100 inches.



## HEALTH LEAGUE OF CANADA

## DIET QUESTIONNAIRE

If you have been reading this column in the past you should, by now be eating the foods that are necessary for good health.

The following is a questionnaire you may use to check your diet habits:

1. Do you eat three regular meals each day? Yes. 10 points
2. Do you drink milk every day? 10 points
3. Do you eat one or more servings of the following foods each day, oranges, grapefruit, tomatoes or their juices, raw cabbage, raw turnip, raw green pepper? 10 points
4. Do you eat a serving of dark green or yellow vegetables once a day? 10 points
5. Do you eat a total of four servings of fruits and vegetables? 10 points
6. Are all white flour and white bread used of Canada approved grade? 10 points
7. Are all cereals used whole grain? 10 points
8. Do you eat some of the following each day, wheat, wheat bread, whole wheat cereal, rye bread, oatmeal? 10 points
9. Do you eat one of the following each day, lean meat, fish, chicken, soy beans, dried peas? 10 points
10. Do you eat 3-4 eggs a week? 10 points
11. Do you get as much as 8 cups of liquid a day? 10 points
12. In the home are the vegetables cooked as little water as possible and not overdone? 10 points

If you have 100 points your diet is excellent, 90 points is good, 80 is fair. If you have below 70 your food habits are poor and should be changed in order to provide you with a diet adequate in the foods essential to your well being.

## Sugar Beet Production

Irrigation Areas in Southern Alberta Sued To This Industry

Sugar beet production is particularly suited to Southern Alberta's irrigation areas. In no other part of Canada can the industry be so efficiently conducted. If it can be further mechanized so that labor costs will be brought down, it is within the realm of possibility that Southern Alberta may be able to supply the bulk of Canada's sugar needs in the years to come.

Alberta is short of industries and it seems to be well worth while to encourage the development of such an industry as sugar manufacturing. Not only does it provide a good market for a specialty farm crop and bring excellent returns to the producer, but it also gives employment to a considerable number of people in the operation of the sugar factories—Calgary Herald.

## Have Great Future

U.S. Scientists Finding Dozens Of New Uses For Feathers

A small, ambitious group of U.S. government scientists believes that the future belongs to the feather. Feathers—100 per cent protein—are considered on the basis of experimentation to be excellent material for plastics. The Federal Feather Committee, headed by H. L. Shrader of the Department of Agriculture, has convinced these plastics may assume myriad forms from surgical sutures to bomber noses and from lamp bases to thread for textiles. Or a simpler process feathers may be compressed into fibreglass for insulation and soundproofing. In primitive form feathers are already doing war duty in camouflage (details a military secret) and as the warm stuffing for thousands of infirmity's sleeping bags and aviators' jackets.

Buy War Savings Stamps Regularly.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



## SQUIRRELS

WITH THEIR HABIT OF BEING RESPONSIBLE FOR THE LOSS OF OUR GREAT OAK AND HICKORY FORESTS OF TODAY.

## KILKORER



## DRAGONFLIES

ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE LOSS OF OUR GREAT OAK AND HICKORY FORESTS OF TODAY.

ANSWER: She was his sister.

## REG'LAR FELLERS—A Real Sport



## SERIOUS?

DO YOU THINK IT'S SERIOUS BETWEEN JIMMIE DUBAN AND AGGIE WILBY PINHEAD?

SERIOUS? I SHOULD SAY SO.

WHEN A FELLER GIVES A GOLL BASHING PRESENTS—THAT MEANS BUSINESS!

DID HE GIVE HER A DIAMOND?

NOPE!

NO! NOTHIN' LIKE THAT!

NAH!

HE GAVE HER A GEMOWINE ONSHAWING POINT SOLID RUBBER ELASTIC BAND!

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## Admiralty Ruling

Petty Officer Wins The Right To Wear A Monocle

Because a Royal Navy non-commissioned officer insisted on wearing his monocle aboard ship the Admiralty had to write a new section to the Navy's general fleet orders.

The sailor who boldly declared that he had won a monocle for four years before the war and did not intend to relinquish it is Chief Petty Officer Philip Morley.

His commanding officer found nothing in the books covering the situation and finally sought an official ruling. The Admiralty held that a rating may choose between spectacles and a monocle so long as it does not interfere with his efficient discharge of duties.

Two families of insect-eating birds on every acre of a 100-acre farm would devour as many as 40,000,000 insects in a cropping season.

## Just Another Job

Canadian Seaman Risk Lives To Make Explosives Secure

At the height of an Atlantic gale, Sub. Lt. John Misk of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve and four ratings wrestled for 2½ hours to pin down "live" depth charges which had blown and were crashing about the deck of the corvette Etah. Misk, 21-year-old native of Bermuda, and former university student at Halifax, volunteered with the seamen to secure the charges, although they knew these, weighing nearly a quarter-ton each, could break their legs like matchsticks. One by one, however, they were roped to the deck.

Cordite, an especially strong propellant, is used almost exclusively to fire big guns.

In Estes Park, Colo., heavers built a dam more than 1,000 feet long.



## APPLEFORD

WANTED PAPER

NEXT TO FOOD—IT'S BEST!

APPLEFORD PAPER FOR CROQUIS LUNCH

KEEPS UP BRAVE FRONT

Luxury Hotel In London Doing Its Best With Menus

A Canadian officer spending a recent week-end leave in London dined at one of the famous luxury hotels, frequented in happier days by cosmopolitan millionaires. He reports that, all things considered, the institution is keeping up a brave front, but the little refinements of past time are represented by symbols instead of substance.

The menus, for example, are still beautifully printed, but the typography does not conceal a shortage of food and a lack of variety of which the hotel would once have been ashamed. Nor does the French into which the menus are still translated conceal the fact that the patrons are now offered more plebeian dishes than pleasant and caviar.

On the day of our correspondent's dinner, the strain of translation had broken down the maître d'hôtel. He had faithfully found French equivalents for all the dishes until he came to the sweet. That was frankly Latin as "Le bread-and-butter pudding."

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

OCTOBER 31

## BIBLE TEACHINGS ON ABSTINENCE

(International Temperance Sunday)

Golden text: Beware, I pray thee, lest thou be snared by the devil.

Scripture: Leviticus 10:1, 2, 8-11; Proverbs 31:4, 5; Luke 1:13-16.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 4.

## Explanations and Comments

The Sin of Nadab and Abihu, Leviticus 10:1, 2. And: This little story reminds us of the story of the two sons of Aaron who offered "strange fire" immediately after the fire from Jehovah had consumed the appointed sacrifice where all had been done "as the Lord commanded," chapter 8. Aaron and his two sons had been consecrated as priests just a week earlier, and on this first occasion when the sons discharge their priestly function they fall to follow the prescribed regulations.

From the direction to avoid strong drink given in this connection (Lev. 10:8, 9) it may be assumed that they erred because intoxicated. They lit the incense with "strange fire," not from the burning coals on the brazen altar as was the command. The Speaker's Commentary suggests that as they perished not within the tabernacle but in front of it, they may have been making an ostentatious and irreverent display of their ministrations to accompany the shouts of the people. The offense for which they were immediately visited with outward punishment was thus a flagrant outrage on the solemn order of the divine service, while the cause of their offense was their use of strong drink.

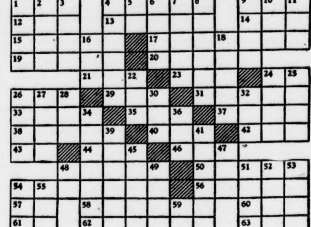
The instant death that befell these young men may seem to us a great punishment for a slight sin, but we must not forget how important were forms at this stage of the people's religion, and if the priests had set the example of contempt thereof and gone unpunished, what would not the people have done? The greater their privilege, the sinner they were to God in his worship, the greater their responsibility, the graver their sin.

Aaron Warned to Abstain from Alcohol. Drink, Leviticus 10:8-11. These verses in Moffatt's translation read: When you or your sons enter into the Tasting Tent, never drink wine or liquor, lest you die: this is a standing rule from generation to generation, that you may distinguish what is sacred and what is profane, what is unclean and what is clean, and that you may teach the Israelites all the rules that the Lord has given them by My hand.

Our chapter ends with these words: Aaron and his sons did all the things which the Lord commanded them to do.

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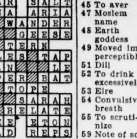
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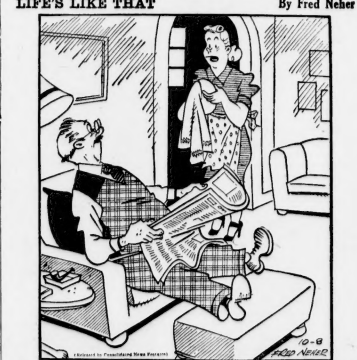
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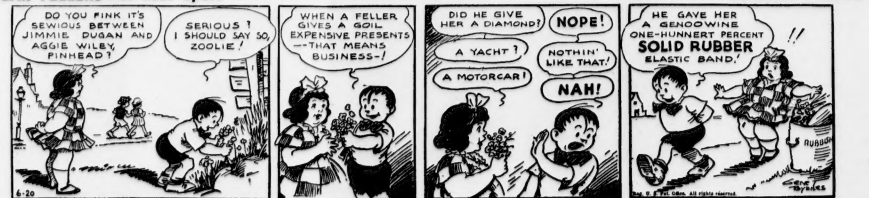
## LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"I wish you'd speak to Betty dear. . . . When a car lunks at the curb she's out and gone before I can get to the window to see who it is!"

## BY GENE BYRNES







## FARMERS AND FARM WORKERS

**If Your Farm Work has Slackened for the Winter, You Are Needed Elsewhere in Essential Employment**

Highly essential work—very important in Canada's war effort and for the welfare of the Nation—is threatened with shortages of workers. One of the few sources of men available for other high priority jobs is those men on the farm who will not be needed at home during the Fall and Winter. Heavy needs must be met in many lines—producing vitally essential forest products; in base metal and coal mining; in food processing, in railway track maintenance. If you live on a farm and are not needed at home during the Fall and Winter, you are urged to answer this national appeal.

Farmers engaged in essential work during the off season will be allowed to return home when needed. Also, those on postponement under Mobilization Regulations will continue on postponement while in approved essential work during the slack season on the farm.

**Please answer this vital call NOW.**

For full information please apply to one of the following:

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The nearest PROVINCIAL AGRICULTURAL FIELDMAN or

YOUR LOCAL FARM PRODUCTION COMMITTEE

NATIONAL SELECTIVE SERVICE

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Director, National Selective Service  
B.C.A.S.



## A WEEKLY EDITOR LOOKS AT Ottawa

Written specially for the weekly newspaper of Canada  
By JIM GREENBLAT

Only a couple of local color items from the nation's capital this week. One concerns the fact that at a local Italian officers' meeting, (for the Consumer Branch, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, like you have in your own district) the ladies sent a resolution to the Prices Board asking that boys' pants be manufactured with a double seat and that certainly sounds like an economy idea, because boys don't wear 'em out on the cuffs. . . . After two months' absence from an internment camp a young Luftwaffe Nazi was caught by an alert detective in the Ottawa Union Station. Asked what he thought of Hitler now he replied: "What do you think of Churchill now? That's what I think of Hitler."

They worried about the possibility of an "inflationary spiral" as the cost of living index crept up from 119.2 on August 2 to 119.4 on September 1, for a wartime increase of 18.5 per cent. This was the 7th consecutive months showing a rise in the cost of

living index. Unless there is a decline in the index figure next month, the bonus will have to be adjusted upward. Maximum bonus payable is at rate of 25 cents for each point rise in the index.

Quickies: Britain has asked for another 100,000 barrels of Nova Scotia apples, raising to 280,000 barrels the number to be exported from the province. . . . The Labor Department has started a campaign to get the services of 150,000 farm workers for employment in essential industries during the slack season in agriculture. . . . Canada's favorite munching pastime is saved, as the Prices Board has revoked its former order which would have prohibited the manufacture of hot dog rolls. . . . Coal miners on B.C. A.F. ground crews can get leave without pay to work in the coal mines until March 31, 1944.

Savings represents much more than mere money value. They are the proof that the saver is worth something in himself. Any fool can waste; any fool can muddle; but it takes something more of a man to save and the more he saves the more of a man he makes of himself. Waste and extravagance unsettles a man's mind for every receipt, shirt, which means some form of self-restraint, steadies it—Rudyard Kipling.

### HITLER'S LATEST GAME

(Winning Tribune)

Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, British High Commissioner to Canada, has placed his finger upon a crucial point which the public in all the United Nations should understand. It is perfectly clear, he says, that the Germans are on the defensive, that they plan to make as much of Europe as they can hold into an "impenetrable fortress." Their design, of course, is to hold on in the hope of so prolonging the war that they may be able to

make a compromise peace.

Many signs of this have been observed lately as the pattern of the German retreat in Russia, the delaying action in Sicily and again in Southern Italy. Hitler, in fact, has revamped his program. The new Nazi objective is a bitter defensive war centred upon "Fortress Europe" for the fruition of propaganda designed to create discord between the United Nations and so to promote a stalemate. It was with this possibility in mind, no doubt, that Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt called the flag of unconditional surrender to the mast.

There are weak spots in the Nazi program, of course. For example, the touted "Fortress of Europe" has no roof strong enough to keep out the blockbusters of the R.A.F. As the Nazis withdrew further up the leg of Italy, great airport sites like those centred upon Perugia became available to the Allies. Even Southern and Eastern Germany will shortly be in range of the heaviest shuttle bombing service.

But here on the home front it is vitally necessary to take note of the Nazi present strategy. Hitler is playing for war weariness to show itself on our side. He is playing for a let-down in Allied production. He is pinning his hopes on dissension within our nation and between the Allied Nations. The best news he can hope for is stoppages of work on our side and the optimum which might

lead to letdown in home-front efforts such as the forthcoming Fifth Victory Loan. As between the United Nations he wants to see a minimum of agreement between Russia and the Western powers and a maximum of irritation, for example between British and Americans. In this hope he is presently getting some help, free gratis, from both the isolationists and ultra-nationalists strewn throughout the United Nations. The burly isolationist "patriots" who are busy defending General MacArthur from being supposedly "subordinated" to Lord Louis Mountbatten provide one example. These same "patriots" who take exactly the opposite tack when they charge that the American General Marshall is being made Allied Generalissimo for the Second Front because of a "British plot," are also helping out Goebbels.

If General Marshall is indeed appointed to head all the Anglo-American forces in the field, this will be due for three good reasons. Firstly, because Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill think he is the man for the job. Secondly, because he himself is willing or even anxious to do so. And thirdly, because there is no one with whom the British General Staff, and particularly General Sir John Dill, the British representative on the Combined Staff, would prefer to co-operate with in the field.

The home-front answer to Hitler's latest tactics is twofold. Firstly, maximum effort in war production, maxi-

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man drive behind the Loan campaign, Russia, China and the United Nations. Secondly, no rumor-mongering about splits between Russia, Britain, Amer-

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## Strain Of Sawfly Resistant Wheat Is Developed

CALGARY.—One of the greatest forward steps ever taken in Western Canadian agriculture, successful development of a sawfly-resistant, rustless wheat, has been announced by the Dominion Experimental Station at Swift Current, as it was revealed in Calgary.

Recognized as the most serious problem confronting wheat growers in southern Alberta and Saskatchewan, elimination of the sawfly is seen as an early possibility as result of the Swift Current development.

The announcement, made by L. B. Thomson, superintendent of the experimental station, indicated that while no seed is yet available, it is hoped to have seed for the new wheat strain in sufficient quantity to permit distribution in two or three years.

Started by H. J. Kemp, assistant superintendent, 12 years ago, development of the sawfly-resistant wheat is credited mainly to Arnold Platt, graduate of the University of Alberta, and his assistant, John Dore, who have worked on the problem for the past seven years. Platt, who graduated at the Alberta university in 1935, is already recognized as one of the outstanding agricultural scientists in the Dominion.

The new wheat which has a stalk too tough for the sawfly larvae to bore into, is expected to supplant "trap crop" control methods which have been developed in the Lethbridge area but which need a reduction in productive wheat acreage to be successful.

### LAUNCHING PETITION

OTTAWA.—The Canadian national committee on refugees announced it is launching a mass petition to be signed by Canadians 18 years of age and over, in an effort to show the government that there is strong popular support for admission of refugees to Canada. The committee is headed by Senator Carleton Wilson of Ottawa.

### MUSSOLINI MAY RESIGN

BERNE.—A Budapest despatch to the Swiss newspaper *Gazette de Lausanne* said that Mussolini had indicated his intention to resign as head of Italy's "Fascist Republican government" and had asked three members of the party in Berlin to name Marshal Rodolfo Graziani as his successor. The despatch said Mussolini never left Germany.

### BELGIAN COMMANDOS

ALBIERS.—A Belgian commando unit—first Belgian infantry to re-enter the struggle against the Germans since the 1940 campaign—has arrived in North Africa. It was disarmed. Trained in Britain, the unit includes troops who reached England in May, 1945.

### PENNIES BOUGHT BOND

MAHONIE BAY, N.S.—Ten thousand pennies saved by Miss Elsie Langille during the past 22 months bought a \$100 victory bond when the Fifth Victory Loan campaign opened here. Miss Langille said she knew of no better investment for her hobby.

### RETURNING FROM NORTH

EDMONTON.—Railway and airline officials said that hundreds of Canadian and American civilians who have spent 12 to 14 months working on northern projects, are en route home through Edmonton. Traffic "has been terrific" from the north in the last 10 days, they said.

## St. Croix Survivor And Rescuer



William Fisher, the only survivor of the torpedoed Canadian destroyer, the St. Croix is pictured above with his rescuer Charles Osowski, Polish merchantman officer. Osowski spent 90 minutes in a motorboat in the Atlantic searching for Fisher after he had heard his cries for help. The photograph was taken after Fisher was discharged from a British naval hospital in New York.

## Urges Irrigation On Prairies For Post-War Plan

TORONTO.—Southern Alberta can add 550,000 acres and Saskatchewan 500,000 of land for mixed farming by means of available irrigation, John R. MacNicol, M.P. for Davenport riding, Toronto, informed the Kiwanis club in an address here.

More than 87,000 farmers deserting southern Saskatchewan land during the depression and engineers estimate that more than 500,000 acres of irrigated land can be reclaimed by means of a South Saskatchewan river project near Moose Jaw.

That would re-establish 87,000 farmers in diversified farming in south Saskatchewan and would be cheap at any price," said Mr. MacNicol. "In southern Alberta water for irrigation comes from rivers originating in United States, and division of the volume of water allocated to United States and Canada is fixed by treaty and under the terms of the treaty both countries must construct reservoirs within a time limit. The United States has completed her reservoirs. Canada must set or lose most valuable water resources.

"The reservoir sites are available in Canada to conserve all the water allocated under the treaty. The construction of these reservoirs is a matter begun immediately after the war," began immediately after the war," said Mr. MacNicol.

"The cost of the whole additional southern Alberta irrigation program would be approximately \$20,000,000 and the beneficial results tremendous. Three people live in each square mile of half-headed prairie land but 29 on each square mile of irrigated land. That would add at least 36,000 farm population and as many more in service villages in southern Alberta."

In 1942 two factories in Alberta produced 800,000 bags of sugar and canning factories at Taber and Lethbridge shipped 750,000 cases of canned corn, each case containing 24 tins, all grown on irrigated land, Mr. MacNicol said.

"There is a vision for Canadians of west stubbled with sugar and canning factories with abattoirs and pork packing plants, a rich and prosperous farming area instead of dried out and deserted farms and a post-war project that will provide many thousands of jobs with self-liquidating costs," said Mr. MacNicol.

Do Your Duty—Buy Victory Bonds.

### CARDS IMPORTANT

Registration Certificates May Occupy Permanent Place in Canadian Life  
OTTAWA.—National registration certificates, originally intended merely as a proof that Canadians had fulfilled requirements of the 1940 registration, are becoming increasingly important in the life of the average Canadian and it may be that they will gain a permanent place after the war.

Reports reaching here are that the provinces are finding the certificates particularly useful and there are some indications they may reach to have it made permanent.

There is no suggestion in official circles of a new registration; but if the certificates were to gain a permanent place in Canadian life it is likely they would have to be given some more permanent form than the present rather flimsy paper. Changes of address would probably have to be recorded on the certificates.

At present address changes are marked only on the master card and no change is made on the certificate which the individual carries.

### ASK FOR BETTER FOOD

LONDON.—The Japanese government has been pressed to remedy deficiencies in rations of prisoners of war, Sir James Grigg, the secretary for war, told the House of Commons.

## Says A Terrific Fight Ahead For United Nations

WASHINGTON.—Members of the house of representatives heard a grim and graphic account of the war in a secret session in the auditorium of the library of congress, leaving the white marble building convinced that a terrific struggle lies ahead of the United Nations.

The congressmen heard Gen. Geo. C. Marshall, chief of the staff of the United States army; War Secretary Henry Stimson and other military leaders give detailed accounts of the fighting on every battlefield. They left the building visibly sobered by what they had heard, with some of them determined to combat public optimism through urging the freer release of information by the war and navy departments.

The session was an off-the-record one, but house members reported the military men supplied this information as part of the global picture:

1. The task of defending them makes it difficult, at this time, to think of using Russian bases in Siberia to strike at the Japanese, even with Russia's consent. Japan has 500,000 troops within a short distance of Siberia.

2. The Germans are building up their fighter strength which today is their first line of defense, just as the fighter squadrons of the R.A.F. were Britain's shield in 1940.

3. Allied air forces in the Pacific are knocking down Japanese planes at a satisfactory rate but not so fast as Japan is building them. Japan's air force is increasing in numbers, despite battle losses.

4. Japan's war effort is not being impeded by a manpower shortage; in fact the problem of mobilizing her population is not as serious as the one existing in the United States.

5. The over-all problem of transporting supplies is the No. 1 trouble on the Allied war effort. The air plane is still a long distance from superseding the ship.

"Gen. Marshall gave us the impression that we are in one hell of a war," said one member.

The Brenner Pass is the lowest pass through the Alps and is less than a mile above sea level.

## Government Head



Mr. Justice N. J. De Wet, who as chief justice has been administering the government of the Union of South Africa. He has now relinquished the chief justiceship. The King has approved this recommendation of His Majesty's government in the Union of South Africa that he shall continue to administer the government.

### HONOR FOR PILOT

Missing Australian Who Saved Crew

LONDON.—An Australian bomber pilot who disdained taking evasive action to avoid enemy attack during 32 operational flights and now is reported missing after an heroic attempt to save his crew from falling into Japanese hands, has been awarded the 75th Victoria Cross of the war.

He is Ptl. Lt. William Newton, 24, of the Royal Australian Air Force and the citation said his "many examples of conspicuous bravery rarely have been equaled."

Leading an attack last March, his bomber burst into flames. Newton managed to get the crew as far as possible from enemy positions as he flew along the shoreline until he was forced to land the blazing aircraft in the water. Two members of the crew extricated themselves but Newton is missing.

### INDIAN EXTREMIST

NEW YORK.—The Tokyo radio said that Japan had set up a "provisional government of India" in Singapore under Subhas Chandra Bose, Indian extremist who fled from India in 1941 when he was ordered to trial for subversion.

## Allied Bombing Has Put Enemy On Defensive

LONDON.—Half of Germany's leading cities now have been severely damaged by Allied bombings, an R.A.F. commentator said, 17 of them so badly they are more of a liability than an asset to the war effort, tying up more men in repairs than in production.

Fourteen additional cities were said to have been damaged heavily by blitz-period standards, with Hamburg having received in acreage damage to its industrial machine equivalent to 60 Coventrys, Cologne to 17 Coventrys, Dusseldorf 12 and Essen 10.

The Nazis ruled swing to the defensive in the air war was reflected in the increase of one-third in their fighter force since January—at the cost of bomber production—and the relation of this to the Britain-based air campaign was indicated in the fact the proportion of the force on the Russian front dropped from one-third in January to less than one-fifth at present spokesman said.

Germany's defensive position is also emphasized in the fact she let 100 days pass at the height of the summer season, between July 9 and Oct. 17, without dropping a bomb by daylight on England. In contrast during the same period of 1940 the Germans made 20,000 daylight sorties (individual plane flights) over Britain, and in the same period this year the R.A.F. made 37,000 daylight sorties—largely by fighters—and the American air force made 24,000.

### BRING PROSPERITY

Economic Come-Back Of Liberated Countries Follows Allied Advances

WASHINGTON.—President Roosevelt pointed to North Africa as an example of the influence and self-sufficiency that follows in the wake of advancing Allied armies.

In the early days of the Tunisian campaign, soon after the Allied landings in French North Africa, it was necessary to ship thousands of tons of food for the civilian population but today this vast area is self-supporting and the French authorities are beginning to accumulate food reserves for distribution in metropolitan France after its liberation.

Like North Africa, Sicily had been held while the president told a press conference. The German occupation forces seized at least five-eighths of the island's produce and millions of Fascist government had reduced yields and acreage.

Today, he continued, the Sicilian farmers are beginning to realize they can keep 100 per cent. of their crops and, instead of being robbed they can set their surplus production to Allied authorities.

The economic come-back of North Africa was revealed in a series of figures, comparing food shipments for military purposes before and after the completion of the Tunisian campaign in May, 1945.

### FINDS NEW DRUG

PHILADELPHIA.—Discovery of a new anti-malaria drug, to help replace the quinine lost when the Japanese seized the Netherlands East Indies, was disclosed in a preliminary report to the 51st annual convention of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States. The drug comes from South America.

### REPORT JAP GENERAL SLAIN

NEW YORK.—A Berlin broadcast quoted the Japanese war ministry as saying that Lt.-Gen. Marinko Nakazono, commander of the Japanese air corps at the Chinese front, was killed last month while conducting operations in southern China.

## Heroic Ville De Quebec Officers In New York



Officers on the Canadian corvette "Ville de Quebec," which has arrived in New York, pictured as they took of the ramming and sinking of a German submarine. The Nazi was encountered as the corvette was escorting General Eisenhower's convoy in the African invasion. Grouped around symbol of the victory are, left to right, Commander A. R. E. Coleman, R.C.N.R.; Lt. Comm. E. T. Simmons, R.C.N.V.R., and Lt. Comm. W. R. Wright, R.C.N.V.R.

## BRITAIN ACQUIRES VITAL NAVAL AND AIR BASES IN AZORES FROM PORTUGAL



Premier Antonio de Oliveira Salazar of Portugal who announced the concession of bases in the Azores to Britain. The move was in accord with the Anglo-Portuguese treaty of 1373.

Horta, main port in the Azores, will now be at the disposal of British naval units, as announced by Prime Minister Winston Churchill. Portugal in spite of this move, will endeavor to maintain her present status of neutrality. The acquisition of the bases will be of immense aid to the Allies in fighting the German U-boat menace in the Atlantic.

British forces have already landed on the Azores, which lie along the main Atlantic shipping lanes, 1,037 miles from Lisbon, Portugal, and 1,240 miles from Gibraltar.

## ROAD TO VICTORY IS A LONG ONE

Britain Warned By Leaders That War Not Yet Won

Exultation over Italy's capitulation to British leaders to the platform to warn the nation that though the gleam of victory has become brighter, there is still a hard, bloody path ahead.

Shortly after the invasion of Italy began Sir Archibald Sinclair, Air Minister, said bluntly "make no mistake about this—the war is far from won" in a speech to an Air Training Corps squadron.

"The War in Europe will not be marching through Berlin," he said. "The road to Berlin is a long one. We shall then have to redouble our efforts to help China and settle with the war lords of Japan, so it is sheer folly to talk of it not being worthwhile to join the A.T.C. because the war will soon be over."

Sir Stafford Cripps twice warned of dangers of over-optimism supplanting the nation's strength and asked that "the lightning of our anxieties... bring forth determination to put our very greatest efforts into war production."

Sir Stafford who is minister of aircraft production, also spoke of the tougher phases ahead as a crack in first Germany, then Japan.

In another way, Maj. Gwyn Lloyd George, minister of fuel, set clear the tasks ahead. He warned that every military advance meant more responsibility for Britain, responsibility in seeing that advances were not held up by irresponsibility at home. Coal must be supplied to Italy, he said, but he gave to Britain, who had raised protests against exporting coal to defeated countries the assurance that they were not going to be asked to freeze their supplies in order that former enemies might live in comfort.

Even if the ministers had not spoken out as they did, in all probability the turn of the fighting after the first few days of unopposed advances in Italy probably would have had the effect they sought to make. The viciousness of the German assault on the American 5th Army on the Salerno beaches cut short whatever celebrations were continuing and brought a renewed realization that the Nazis would be different mark than the Italians.

## A Dog Story

Family Pet, Lost For Six Months Returns Home From A Long Distance

Lost for six months—then came home. This is the story of "Tillie," a Christmas tree, Gail T. Long, a last minister in Ashland, Kentucky, and his wife, Mrs. Long, who lost their pet dog, Tillie, their dog, went with them. In some way Tillie got lost. A careful search for several advertisements put in the local papers, but in vain. He and Mrs. Long went home greatly disappointed.

Six months later, July 2, while attending with a group of young people, a picnic, Mrs. Long suddenly saw Tillie coming through the woods headed evidently straight for their home. Recognizing the dog she called, and it, hearing the familiar call, came to her with affectionate greeting. Tillie was weatherbeaten, half starved and evidently nearly exhausted. The dog must have traveled across South Carolina, through North Carolina, Virginia, Tennessee and Kentucky.

This story came to us in a newspaper clipping. To verify it we wrote at once to Mr. Long and have related it here as he told it to us in his letter.—Our Dumb Animals.

## Axis Plane Losses

10,690 Few Craft Downed Over United Kingdom And West Europe. Lord Sherwood, under secretary for air, declared that more than 10,000 enemy planes have been destroyed over Britain and western Europe and another 5,000 over the Mediterranean area, not including Italian aircraft.

Presumably he referred to Axis losses for the entire war. The magazine Aeroplane lists Axis losses on all fronts except Russia and the Far East at 17,000 shot down in aerial combat or by anti-aircraft fire up to Oct. 10.

## BRITAIN'S HOME GUARD

The Home Guard in Great Britain consists entirely of men too old or too young, or for some good reason, exempt from military service. These men, nearly 2,000,000 of them, are virtually all full-time workers in war industries or have essential jobs. Their soldiering is done in their spare time.

## BLOOD PLASMA PREPARED FROM CANADIANS' DONATIONS SAVES LIVES OF WOUNDED ON WORLD BATTLEFRONTS



Blood plasma, prepared from blood donations made to the Canadian Red Cross Society in Canada is saving the lives of countless wounded soldiers on war fronts where Canadian troops are fighting. At left an operation in progress at an advanced medical centre in the Mediterranean war theatre. A win in the patient's arm is being opened and made ready to receive a transfusion of fluid prepared from dried blood plasma and distilled water.

Algiers—Advancement of medical progress during recent years in the preparation and use of dried blood is today saving the lives of countless battlefield casualties.

Sharing the use of this magnificent discovery with the medical corps of the Russian, British, American and other Allied armies are the skilled surgeons of the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps.

In Italy today, as during the recent Sicilian campaign, this dried blood serum obtained from the blood donated in Canada to the Canadian Red Cross has been instrumental in keeping deaths from wounds sustained in the battlefield at the humanly possible minimum.

Enjoying immense advantages over other plasma, such as deterioration, normal blood, the dried substitute possesses all the life-saving properties of blood itself. Unlike normal blood, which can be kept safely only about 10 or 12 days, and in hot climates, an even shorter length of time, dried blood can be kept for months and years under any conditions, and all that is necessary to reconstitute it is the addition of distilled water.

And since red cells are removed, leaving only the protein in solution, the difficulty of establishing the proper blood groups of the recipient and donor is eliminated.

It was during the past three or four years that science found that

the immediate treatment of shock, resulting from loss of blood could be effected by using certain constituents of blood, notably the proteins.

It is still true that when shock is the result of the loss of a great deal of blood, a certain amount of whole blood will ultimately be necessary in addition to blood substitutes. But medical science has well established that blood substitutes are of the greatest value in the immediate saving of lives. This is particularly true in the case of burns, but it also applies to all types of shock seen during war.

The transportation and preservation of liquid blood substitutes presents a number of difficulties. The extremes of temperature, the agita-

tion of moving a long distance and the circumstances, such as those which exist in North Africa and Italy, these difficulties have been circumvented by the application of the same principle to those which are used in the drying of vegetables and other foods.

What is done is simply the removal of the water content. In the case of blood, this leaves a yellowish powdered material which looks not unlike bath salts. This product stands the extremes of temperature and can be kept sterile under almost any conditions for months and years.

Dried blood gives every man brought wounded from the battlefield a better chance of life.

—Canadian Army Overseas Photo.

## Led Famous Raid



Wing Comdr. Guy P. Gibson, 25-year-old R.C.A.F. veteran, is shown in New York as he told how he led the famous raid which wiped out the Moehne and Eder dams, last May.

UNBREAKABLE CONTAINERS. At a factory in East Scotland which produces especially designed unbreakable oil containers which can be dropped by parachute or thrown from moving lorries, 80% of the workers are women.

The King's harvest in Windsor's Great Park is double that of last year.

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## Cargo Of Walnut

Ship Built At Toronto Crossed The Atlantic In 1856

A ship built at Toronto arrived at Liverpool on Oct. 4, 1856, says Fred Williams in the Toronto Globe and Empire. She was the City of Toronto, 168 feet long and 1,000 tons burthen, built in the shipyards of Hayes Brothers & Company on the site of the present mammoth union depot at Toronto. She had been launched with due ceremony on April 3, the customary bottle of wine being broken as she slid into Lake Ontario and made the biggest splash on record in Toronto Bay. Three months later she was fully equipped and early in August sailed from Toronto for Liverpool with passengers and "a full cargo of walnut."

It was not until Sept. 6 that she left Quebec and she reached Liverpool in 23 days. After landing her passengers and precious walnut she turned around and went back to Quebec to engage in the overseas timber trade, then in its most flourishing period, but her sea life was short, for she was cast ashore on the coast of Nova Scotia in the winter of 1856 and was a total loss.

## RAGS PUT TO GOOD USE

Rags saved in Great Britain last year made two million battle-dresses, two thousand acres of felt, thousands of overcoats and blankets, and a million pairs of charts.

—R.C.A.F. Photo.

## Soldiers Shift To R.C.A.F. For Aircrew Training

## GEMS OF THOUGHT

### EARNESTNESS

A man in earnest finds means, or if he cannot find, creates them.—Channing.

The reformer must be a hero at all points, and he must have conquered himself before he can conquer others. Sincerity is more successful than genius or talent.—Mary Baker Eddy.

The superior man is alone in his words and earnest in his conduct.—Confucius.

Without earnestness no man is ever great or does really great things. He may be the cleverest of men; he may be brilliant, entertaining, popular; but he will want wisdom.—Bayne.

To impress others we must be earnest; to amuse them, it is only necessary to be kindly and fanciful.—Tuckerman.

There are important cases in which the difference between half a heart and a whole heart makes just the difference between signal defeat and a splendid victory.—A. H. K. Boyd.

The University of Salerno, Italy, is the oldest in Europe, founded in the ninth century.

Buy War Savings Stamps Regularly.

## ARMY NURSES ARE BRAVE UNDER FIRE

Veterans Say Service Women Usually Cooler Than Most Men

It will surprise no one who knows the record of the army nurses since the Crimean War to learn that she is again proving herself the equal of men under something very like combat conditions. At the Licata landing in Sicily, for instance, the nurses of an evacuation hospital disembarked on the heels of the infantry; made the "waves at home, first; under fire in fox holes; then, on the ground, in a blanket in infantry shelter-holes; in the famous pup tent, that is, for food and water, during the baptism of fire, each nurse had one B and one C ration and one can of chlorinated water. Once set up and the Geneva Cross unveiled, the hospital was spared shelling or bombing, but until then, for many hours, nurses were exposed to the same conditions as the men.

It has long been remarked by male veterans of field service, medical corps and infantry, that the steady rain of flak, T. T. or were cheerful, uncomplaining and calm in the best tradition of the corps.

The nurses of this single evacuation hospital was not only according to tradition but typically of the army nurse in any war. It has long been remarked by male veterans of field service, medical corps and infantry, that the steady rain of flak, T. T. or were cheerful, uncomplaining and calm in the best tradition of the corps.

—New York Herald Tribune.

## Canada Stands High

Is Contributing Greatly In Every Way To Winning Victory

Today Canada stands higher among the nations of the world than before the outbreak of the war. Amid all the internal wrangling, Canadians may well keep this fact in mind. The strain of maintaining the pace of the struggle is splitting this country in several ways, but it is still nominally one country and it is still engaged in the war. Canada is a charter member of the war, one of that small company among the United Nations that took up the war's burden of her own free will and has continued for these terrible years, not because she was herself attacked, like Russia and the United States, but because she foresaw an attack was certain to come and went out to meet it for the safety of every Canadian home.

In spite of the blunders this country has made, her good deeds have outweighed her mistakes. Her allies have not always been right in all the plans and operations, and her enemies made the vast miscalculation of trying to bring the whole world to heel. In comparison with these other peoples who live on the earth, and in the long view of the records of nations, the less than a dozen million Canadians, by early facing up to disaster, are now seen as contributing greatly in arms and armed men to the victory that begins to appear in steeper focus somewhere through the flame and misery ahead.—The Printed Word.

## Bond Of Empire

Reason Why Canada Should Be In Close Co-operation With West Indies

There are very real reasons why the Dominion of Canada, close to the Indian Empire geographically and in bond of Empire and trade relationship, should be granted a larger sphere of influence in any projected economic reconstruction of these colonies.

Grown now to full maturity as a nation within the Commonwealth, both politically and industrially, the Dominion, we believe, is now capable in every way to undertake the administration, defence and development of the West Indies, at least with mandatory responsibility if not in confederation.

Whatever the future holds, it is both logical and prudent that the people of the Commonwealth should exist between the Dominion and her Caribbean neighbors. Such a relationship would benefit the Dominion, the West Indies and would serve in further consolidation of the ideals of the British Commonwealth of Nations.—Canada-West Indies Magazine.



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A MILDIER TASTIER TOBACCO

# Ben Jonathán

by J. B. Ryan

## CHAPTER VIII.

SUR MAURICE BLAINE was at the inn next night with an invitation for Master John Hale to accompany him to an exclusive club. There, as on the previous evening, cards were the diversion. This was even more select gathering, with several imposing titles among the names—those to whom Jonathán was introduced, but once again Jonathán's hope of finding the killer of Denys was unrealized. How much longer, he wondered, must he look for him?

He had more gold for Tucker when he returned to the inn—more in the days that followed. No attempt was made to wear money over and above what might be called working capital, every penny went to add to the magnificence that was making the name of John Hale a legend.

At the end of the week, Tucker announced that the house on Pall Mall was ready for occupancy, was a full staff of servants engaged. "It is my turn, now that I am a home of my own," Jonathán said to the faithful and admiring Sir Maurice, "to return the hospitality shown me by you and your friends. All of you must be my guests the first evening."

THE housewarming of Master John Hale got under way in brilliant fashion. In the polished ballroom musicians were tuning instruments already in perfect order. In the kitchen servants perished over ovens and stoves. Jonathán moved among his arriving guests, greeting those he already knew, Sir Maurice Blaine at his side to present those who were still strangers.

Jonathán acknowledged an introduction to the Earl of Chelsea, an empty-faced man in flaming silk. "Egad, Master Hale," beamed Chelsea, "I have been looking forward to this meeting. What will it be worth to whisper in my ear the name of your tailor?"

"The name of the horse you are grooming for the race next month," laughed Jonathán.

"It's a bargain, Hale!" agreed the Earl. "Before I leave, you and I shall make an exchange of secrets."

A tall man in somber garments appeared beside the brightly hued Earl. "Good evening, Blaine," he nodded.

"Your lordship?" Sir Maurice bowed. "Lord Farquhar, allow me to present our host, Master John Hale."

It was fortunate, indeed, that Lord Farquhar inclined his head once more, bowing with an elaborateness that consumed a full instant. Otherwise he would have observed the startled recognition in the eyes of Jonathán that no schooling could control. There was no mistaking that harsh face with the bony nose and grim-angled jaws. This tall man in black velvet and black silk was his lordship, when Jonathán had fought in the tavern at Winstan.

"I had to attend this rout," said Lord Farquhar. "They tell me, Master Hale, that you are a variable devil at cards. I have a passion for the pasteboard myself. Now that we have become acquainted it should be easy to arrange a meeting to test our respective skills."

Sir Maurice said, "His lordship is a devil with cards, too, Hale, and Satan himself with the foil." "I heard how Hale taught Shattuck a lesson," said Farquhar. "That it is cards that interest me at the moment."

JONATHÁN'S deep-set eyes lifted slowly, but by now he had his feet well composed, although the blood was still pounding in his ears. "I shall be at your convenience at any time, my lord," he said.

The tall man did not recognize Jonathán, a circumstance that was really no wonder. There was no more of the jewelry and the clothes to create in Farquhar's mind a picture entirely different from the one he remembered. The week of maniquette had left its mark on Jonathán, making

## To Save Fuel

Maintain High Humidity in The Home And Be More Comfortable

A favourite summer complaint is "It's not the heat, but the humidity." In the winter, however, they become words of wisdom. By maintaining high humidity in the home, householders will be more comfortable even though temperatures are lower. On top of that, they will save many a shovelful of coal.

Even if it were not necessary to save every bit of fuel possible, health itself would indicate plenty of moisture in the air. In winter the air is dry and thirsty. It must obtain moisture from somewhere, and that somewhere is often from an individual's body and nasal passages. Doctors agree that there would be fewer colds and nose infections if humidity were higher in Canadian homes.

There are several simple things that will help to maintain higher humidity. Here are a few of them. Keep the pan in the hot air furnace, if there is one, well-filled with water. If it is not sufficient, place cans of water just inside the registers, not where they'll show, but where they will do their work effectively.

After taking a bath, leave the hot water standing in the tub until it is cold. At the same time leave the bathroom door open so that the moisture can penetrate into the other rooms.

Potted plants make good humidifiers, if they're kept well-watered. Their porous pots literally soak moisture.

Homes heated by stoves need no humidifying processes. Just keep a kettle of water standing on the back of the stove.

## WILL MAKE GOOD

The Toronto Globe and Mail says Prime Minister Churchill assures ugited air forces that they shall "beat the life out of industrial Germany." Nothing extravagant in this. Didn't he assure Mussolini some time ago that his African empire would be "torn to shreds"?

## JUST SAWS WOOD

The woodpecker is a realist. With it every knock is a boast. If it looks like a bird of bark it is for due cause. In the spring, it excavates a tidy nest, but only in a softened tree. Even then it will hide the chips just in case predatory eyes were watching. Mostly, it says nothing—and saws wood.

## No One Too Busy

To Take Care Of The Ordinary Acts Of Courtesy

A lot of people have lapsed into small lacks of courtesy and blame it all on the war, says Adelaide Kerr, writing on Common Courtesy. Too busy with war work and problems, they say, to get this or that done. Better check up on yourself and see whether the shoe fits you.

When did you last write your mother? (Your handwriting looks as good to her now as it ever did.) How many times have you been late to dates in the past month?

There is an old axiom: The more you have to do the more you can get done.

How about using some of the time you spend feeling sorry for yourself in getting things done?

## HOME SERVICE

YOU MUST KNOW FUNDAMENTALS OF HOME NURSING



Making Bed With Patient

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Do you know how to make a bed with your patient in it? Some patients cannot be moved out of bed and you have to know what to do. The illustration shows a guide, put instructions how to do this are included in our 32-page booklet, along with many other necessary things in the daily care of a patient. Our booklet gives the home nurse important data and a few of the don'ts are also in order.

As well as the daily care of a bed patient, it gives instructions how to care for a bed patient, how to care for a patient after an operation, a patient with a contagious disease and also how to manage common ailments such as colds and convulsions.

Baby care is also included. Send for it in time for your copy of "What You Should Know About Bed Nursing" to Home Service Dept., Winnipeg, Newspaper Union, 175 McArthur Ave., E., Winnipeg, Man. Be sure to write plainly your name, address, and name of booklet.

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### Wheat Surplus

More Wheat Has Been Sold Since The War Began

A new peak in the carry-over stocks of wheat in Canada, the United States, Australia, and Argentina was reached at the close of the crop year 1942-43, states a recent issue of the Monthly Review of the Wheat Situation. These four countries had a combined surplus of 1,775,000,000 bushels of wheat, or 137,000,000 bushels more than they held a year ago. Four years of war have witnessed a steady rise in wheat surplus stocks in the major exporting countries. This accumulation has sometimes been attributed to loss of export markets, but this the Review points out, is not supported by statistics. In actual fact, this group of countries has disposed of about 400,000,000 bushels more wheat in the four year years than in the four years preceding the outbreak of hostilities, taking into account both exports and domestic utilization of wheat.

Every home-painter knows why there's always room at the top of the ladder: that's where the work is done.

### Was Always Kind

Ralph Waldo Emerson Would Never Speak Harshly Of Anyone

Ralph Waldo Emerson, gentle, kind-hearted gentleman, was always reluctant to speak harshly of his fellow beings. One day at the Emerson dinner table there was some mention of a woman who was well known as an inveterate seeker after celebrities. Mrs. Emerson said the woman was a snob. Emerson thought the term too harsh.

His wife inquired how he would describe the lady. "I should say," replied the philosopher, speaking very slowly, "that she is a person having great sympathy with success." 2339

### WAR PRICES IN BRITAIN

Wholesale prices of all commodities in Great Britain rose by 42.8% during the first year of the war; by 9.4% in the second year; by 3.6% in the third; and by only 2.1% in the fourth year.

French colonies total 22 times the area of France itself.

Rats are not blind, but their vision is acute during day as well as night.

"Do you want to come home, soldier?"

"Not till Victory,"

said he.

If he can fight

With all his might—

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## IS STILL STRONG

Axis airpower was lacking in Tunisia and Sicily, and Frank Gerault in Collier's says some of it is in junk heaps in El Alamein, some at the bottom of the Mediterranean, but the real truth of the matter is that there is still a great big Luftwaffe.

However, Allied production has simply caught up with it. Therefore, Allied production must continue all-out because the Luftwaffe has not ceased to exist. 2339



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12:15 p.m. .... Sunday School

11 a.m. .... Morning Prayer

## Snicklefritz-----



In bridge people get mad if you don't play well. In poker they get mad if you do.

She: "I'll never marry a man whose fortune hasn't at least 5 ciphers." He (exulting): "Oh, darling, mine is all ciphers."

"You can't keep a good man down," said the aristocratic cannibal, who had just cut a missionary.

A man entered a barber shop and asked for a "Scotch shave." The barber gave him a close one.

Doctor: "I'll see that scalp wound up for you for ten dollars." Patient: "Gee Doc, I just want plain sewing; not hemstitching or embroidery."

It doesn't take a married man long to find out that the wedding chime was merely a curfew bell.

Mother (to son across her knee): "I'll teach you to tie a necktie." Son: "But, mother, it isn't our dog."

Mother: "No, but it's my sauce pan."

"Just fancy Jim refusing to marry you. Didn't you tell him about your rich widowed aunt?"

"Yes, I did, and now Jim is my uncle."

Sonny: "Ma says she could have soled her shoes with this steak that I brought back."

Butcher (sarcastically): "Why didn't she?"

Sonny: "Cause she couldn't get the nails through it."

The Electrician's Love Letter  
"Maudie, darling, be mine, Incandescent one. Watt's life without you? My heart is a transformer that steps up at every thought of you. Do not try to switch me off, but let's make a short circuit, the preacher's. Marry me and you need never ask "Wire you isolate?" for the light of your presence would be ohm to me."

MODERN METHODS  
Army paratroops were practicing their jumps in a backwoods region. A parachutist started to come down on a field, near which lived an old mountaineer and fifteen children. One of the youngsters saw the parachute floating down with a man attached to it, and he ran into the house, yelling, "Bring the shotgun, papa—the darn stork is bringin' 'em full-grown now!"

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OUR INVITATION: Psalm 95:5

O come, let us worship and bow down: let us kneel before the Lord our Maker

REV. E. RIEMER, pastor

## FARM FOR SALE

TENDERS marked 40648 addressed to the Clerk of the Supreme Court House, Calgary, will be received up to 11 o'clock in the forenoon of Saturday the 13th day of November, A.D. 1943 for the purchase of Section 23, in Township 26, Range 23, W.4th Meridian, Alberta, containing 63.86 acres more or less, subject to the reservations contained in the existing Certificate of Title.

The property is situated about 14 miles from Carbon, and there are 455 acres under cultivation, and there are situated thereon the following buildings: house, barn, implement shed and other out-buildings.

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For further particulars apply to Ballalshay: Hestline & McNeil, Solicitors, 700 - Lancaster Building, Calgary, Alberta.

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# INFORMATION

For Western Farmers Selling  
Feed Grains to Eastern Farmers

## WHEAT • OATS • BARLEY

1. Wheat, up to 14 bu. per authorized acre and one car of oats and/or barley over the quota may be shipped.

2. Every seller must apply to the Canadian Wheat Board, Winnipeg, for a permit to ship each carload before loading for shipment.

3. Cars shipped will be inspected at Winnipeg for grade and dockage. On the basis of sample inspection, certificates will be issued by the Board of Grain Commissioners, for cars held "too full" for regular inspection. The Inspection Certificate establishes the grade and dockage.

4. Dockage up to 3% is allowed. Dockage above 1% cannot be charged for, and payment will not be made for the difference in weight between 1% and the actual dockage.

5. Elevator scale tickets or railway weights must accompany the bill of lading. Freight charges are to be paid by the farmer in Eastern Canada.

## PRICE INFORMATION

On oats and barley the price per bushel to be charged the eastern farmer is the ceiling price (or the cash price if it is lower), basis in store at Port William or Port Arthur.

## GOVERNMENT SUBSIDIES AVAILABLE

As announced by the Dominion Government, the subsidy of 10c per bushel on oats and 15c per bushel on barley applies on oats and barley sold by any western farmer to a farmer or feed dealer east of Fort William-Port Arthur. Special application must be made to the Canadian Wheat Board, Winnipeg, in order to secure payment. Special forms for this purpose will be provided by the Canadian Wheat Board on request. These subsidies will also be paid on community sales between farmer and farmer in western Canada, provided the farmer delivers the grain over an elevator scale and meets other requirements of the Wheat Board.

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